RESOLUTION NO. 05-500

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF WICHITA TO APPROVE THE FILING OF APPLICATIONS TO THE KANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR USE OF TRANSPORTATION ENHANCEMENT FUNDS SET FORTH BY THE FEDERAL TRANSPORTATION EQUITY ACT FOR THE 21ST CENTURY AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN THE APPLICATIONS.

- **WHEREAS**, the City of Wichita, Kansas, has the legal authority to apply for, receive, and administer federal, state, and other monies through Home Rule Power under the Constitution of the State of Kansas and authorized by K.S.A. 12-1662, regarding the expenditure of federal aid to public agencies; and
- **WHEREAS**, the City of Wichita, Kansas, desires to submit an application to the Kansas Department of Transportation for transportation enhancement program funds set forth by the Federal Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century; and
- **WHEREAS**, the City of Wichita, Kansas, is participating in the Kansas Department of Transportation's Transportation Enhancement Program set forth by the Federal Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century; and
- **WHEREAS**, Federal monies are available under a transportation enhancement program set forth by the Federal Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century, administered by the State of Kansas, Department of Transportation, for the purpose of Historic, Scenic and Environmental, and Pedestrian and Bicycle projects; and
- **WHEREAS**, After appropriate community input and due consideration, the Governing Body of the City of Wichita, Kansas has recommended that applications be submitted to the State of Kansas for funding consideration.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF WICHITA, KANSAS:
- SECTION 1. That the City of Wichita, Kansas approves the submission of Transportation Enhancement project applications as identified below:

Belmont Arches Restoration Project

- SECTION 2. That the City of Wichita, Kansas, hereby accepts responsibility for the coordination of these projects, commits to 20% of the total project cost as a local match contribution, and assures the Kansas Department of Transportation that sufficient funding for the construction of this project is available.
- SECTION 3. That the City of Wichita, Kansas, hereby assures the Kansas Department of Transportation that sufficient funding for the operation and maintenance of this project, if selected, will be available for the life of the project.

SECTION 4. That the City of Wichita, Kansas, hereby assures the Kansas Department of Transportation that the City of Wichita, Kansas, will have title or permanent easement for these projects by the time of project letting.

SECTION 5. That the Mayor of the City of Wichita, Kansas, is authorized to sign the application to the Kansas Department of Transportation for transportation enhancement program funds set forth by the Federal Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century on behalf of the citizens of Wichita, Kansas. A City official (to be designated) is authorized to submit additional information as may be required and act as the official representative of the City of Wichita in this and subsequent related activities.

SECTION 6. That the City of Wichita, Kansas, hereby assures the Kansas Department of Transportation that the City of Wichita, Kansas, is willing and able to administer the design, letting and construction of the projects, if selected.

ADOPTED AND PASSED by the Governing Body of the City of Wichita, Kansas, this 4th day of October 2005.

ATTEST:	Carlos Mayans, Mayor	
Karen Sublett, City Clerk		
APPROVED AS TO FORM		
Gary Rebenstorf, Director of Law		